



**PATENT
MOC03 P365**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Art Unit : 2872
Examiner : Ricky D. Shafer
Applicants : Yoshiyuki Takase et al.
Serial No. : 09/879,012
Filed : June 12, 2001
Confirmation No. : 3337
For : **MECHANISM FOR ADJUSTABLE INSTALLATION OF BAND
PLATE-LIKE MEMBER**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action mailed July 12, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

A Terminal Disclaimer is also enclosed herewith.